



GUEST TEACHING ARTIST

The Academy of Theatre Arts seeks Teaching Artists for our 2021-2022 Season. Resumes are accepted and reviewed throughout the year for both our onsite and outreach programs.

Who Are We?

The Academy of Theatre Arts believes the classroom is a place to learn, grow and take risks! We celebrate the process of learning and are interested in what happens along the way as skills are gained and honed. With this focus on the education experience, our classes take place in rehearsal halls and technical shops, not on stages. We celebrate that engagement and success looks different for each student. We strive to supply students with diverse source material with a larger worldview and make intentional choices in our practices to create a welcome space for people of all ability, ethnicity, economic status, sexual orientations, and gender identities.

Position Summary:

Teaching Artists should have experience in the theatre arts (acting, singing, dancing, crafting) and a passion for helping others to grow their theatrical skills. Under the supervision of the Director of Education, Teaching Artists create individualized lesson plans designed to meet the intended learning outcome for a specific class, camp or workshop, and actively engage their students in the process of risk taking, self-reflection and growth.

Responsibilities:

- Plan, prepare and deliver lesson plans in a manner that embraces active learning:
 - Lessons built around learning outcomes provided by the Academy
 - Materials and resources reflective of a diverse community
 - Encourage creative student expression
 - Set and maintain acceptable classroom behavior standards

Skills and Experience:

- Previous theatre or educational experience
- Experience working with students similar in age to class hired to teach
- Strong organizational and communication skills
- High School Diploma or Equivalent
- 18 years of age or older
- Applicants will be required to submit to a criminal background check

Desired Qualifications:

- A degree in Theatre, Theatre Education, Education, or related discipline
- Previous teaching experience

Steps to Apply:

- Email letter of interest, resume and availability to: AMiller@KazooCivic.com

Equal Opportunity Employer:

The Kalamazoo Civic Theatre is an Equal Opportunity Employer. We celebrate diversity and are committed to creating an inclusive work environment that inspires all individuals and is free of discrimination and harassment.